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# APPOINTED COMMITTEES.

Board of Trade Directors  
Met This Morning.

## FISH COMMITTEES COMBINED.

And Then Held the First Meeting  
of the Year.

The directors of the Board of Trade met this morning at the rooms. The committee appointed for that purpose reported a list of committees for the ensuing year, which was adopted. Several changes were made in the personnel of some of the committees, and another important change was the combining of the splitting price and fisheries committee under the head of the latter. A very active arbitration committee was selected, and it is understood that this committee will be called into service much more than formerly.

The following committees were appointed:  
Executive Committee—Sylvester Cunningham, Sylvanus Smith, John K. Dustin, Fred L. Davis, Francis Procter.

Finance Committee—Sylvester Cunningham, William H. Jordan, Francis W. Homans, Joseph O. Procter, Orlando Merchant.

Fisheries and Commerce Committee—John J. Pew, Charles A. Reed, E. Archer Bradley, Fred L. Davis, David B. Smith, Thomas J. Carroll, Fred A. Pearce, Orlando Merchant, D. Parkhurst Gale, William F. Moore.

Manufacturers and Trade Committee—Cyrus Story, Leonard A. Burnham, George J. Tarr, Charles W. Luce, Thomas Hodge, Howard H. Oakes, Percy Hall, H. Burt Knowles.

Insurance Committee—Charles H. Pew, William H. Gardner, James G. Tarr, D. Parkhurst Gale, John H. Cavin.

City Improvements Committee—Francis Procter, William A. King, George A. Smith, William A. Homans, Francis Bennett.

Freight Tariff and Transportation Committee—Charles H. Pew, Harvey C. Smith, David S. Presson, Edgar Merchant, Benjamin A. Smith.

Arbitration Committee—William H. Jordan, John K. Dustin, William F. Moore, Sylvester Cunningham, Thomas J. Carroll.

Shippers Committee—John K. Dustin, William T. Shute, Fred G. Wonson, Fred Bradley, Thomas J. Carroll, Charles A. Reed, Sylvester Cunningham, Samuel Lane, Oscar Andrews, R. Elwood Pinkham, William F. Moore, Samuel G. Poole, John G. Daggett, John J. Stanwood, Fred L. Davis, D. Parkhurst Gale.

Reception Committee—Howard Steele, Daniel H. Wallace, Benjamin A. Smith, William Parsons, John Nagle, Charles H. Andrews, Samuel G. Poole, Austin P. Young, George Sayward, Jerome McDonald, John Chisholm, Addison Wonson, Nathaniel L. Gorton.

The committee on fisheries met later and organized with a choice of John J. Pew as chairman and William F. Moore as secretary.

It was voted to hold a meeting every Monday forenoon and make Board of Trade prices for both salt and fresh fish. This is the first meeting of the fisheries committee to make prices since the last meeting last year.

The committee in making the prices for this week adopted the last sales in every instance the figures being as follows: Salt Georges handline cod, large, \$4.50, medium, \$3.75; trawl Georges, large, \$4.25, medium, \$3.50; large trawl Bank, \$3.62 1-2, medium, \$3.37 1-2. Fresh fish, large cod, Peak, \$2, others, \$2.25; medium, Peak, \$1.50; others, \$1.75; cusk, \$1.62 1-2; haddock, hake, \$1.

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## DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

### To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Mooween, v'a Boston, 95,000 lbs. fresh cod, 10,000 lbs. cusk, 15,000 lbs. haddock.  
Sch. Metamora, via Boston, 40,000 lbs. fresh cod, 60,000 lbs. haddock.  
Sch. Matchless, via Boston, 15,000 lbs. fresh cod, 55,000 lbs. haddock.  
Sch. Ro's Ray, via Boston, 5000 lbs. fresh cod, 50,000 lbs. haddock.  
Sch. Meteor, via Boston, 17,000 lbs. salt cod, 30,000 lbs. fresh cod.  
Sch. A. C. Newhall, shore.  
Sch. Evelyn L. Smith, shore.

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Fresh fish, large cod, \$2.25; medium cod, \$1.75; all cod caught to the eastward of La-Have bank, \$2, medium \$1.50; cusk, \$1.62 1-2; haddock, \$1; hake, \$1; pollock, 70 cts.

Bank halibut, 10 cts. per lb. for white and 7 cts. per lb. for gray.

Georges halibut, 10 cts. per lb. for white and 7 cts per lb. for gray.

### Boston.

Sch. Motor, 22,000 cod.  
Sch. Minerva, 9000 haddock, 2000 cod.  
Sch. Mary Emerson, 5500 cod.  
Sch. Carrie F. Roberts, 3000 haddock, 500 cod.  
Sch. Vidia M. Brigham, 7000 haddock, 200 cod.  
Sch. Helen B. Thomas, 3000 haddock, 1000 cod.  
Sch. Galatea, 18,000 haddock, 1000 cod.  
Sch. Rough Rider, 2000 cod.

Sch. Flavilla, 10,000 haddock.  
Sch. On Time, 7000 cod.  
Sch. Stranger, 8000 haddock, 4400 cod.  
Sch. Mertis H. Perry, 10,000 haddock.  
Sch. Laura Enos, 1500 cod.  
Sch. Malicia Enos, 3000 cod.  
Sch. Two Sisters, 500 cod.  
Sch. Bismarck, 1200 cod.  
Sch. Marian, 700 haddock, 3000 cod.  
Sch. Catherine and Ellen, 40,000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 10,000 cusk.

Sch. Mary E. Cooney, 10,000 haddock.  
Sch. I. J. Merritt, Jr., 12,000 haddock, 2500 cod.

Haddock, \$1.25; large cod, \$2.25 to \$2.50;

market cod, \$1.50 to \$2.

### Portland.

Schs. Ella M. Doughty and Angie B. Watson were at Portland on Saturday and schs. Albert D. Willard and Patriot were there on Sunday. The latter had 18,000 codfish and 2500 pounds of halibut. The trip of halibut sold at Portland and the schooner then proceeded to Boothbay Harbor, where she sold her trip of cod.

### Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. Angielena of Boston is at this port to fit for mackerel netting.  
Sch. Motor will now fit for mackerel netting.

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### To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Edwin B. Holmes, Georges, 38,000 lbs. cod.  
Sch. Quonnapowitt, via Boston, 60,000 lbs. lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Agnes V. Gleason, Brown's Bank, 65,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Niagara, Gully, 18,000 lbs. halibut, 2000 lbs. cod.

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### Boston.

Sch. Livonia, 4000 haddock, 300 cod.  
Sch. Philip P. Manta, 19,000 haddock, 3500 cod, 1000 hake.  
Sch. Reliance, 2000 haddock, 4000 cod.  
Sch. John M. Keen, 3000 haddock, 500 cod.  
Sch. Teresa and Alice, 2500 haddock.  
Sch. Mary Webb, 2000 cod.  
Sch. Winnifred, 35,000 haddock, 19,000 cod, 2000 cusk.  
Sch. Frank Munroe, 5000 haddock, 1300 cod.  
Sch. Robert and Carr, 5000 haddock, 500 cod.  
Sch. Amelia Enos, 20,000 haddock, 15,500 cod.  
Sch. Julia Costa, 15,000 haddock, 3000 cod.  
Sch. Annie Perry, 20,000 haddock, 15,500 cod.

Sch. Annie and Jennie, 8000 haddock.  
Sch. Graele E. Freeman, 4000 cod.  
Sch. Ida S. Brooks, 12,000 haddock.  
Sch. Rose Standish, 2000 haddock, 2500 cod.  
Haddock \$1.25 to \$2.65, large cod \$2 to \$2.75, market cod \$1.50 to \$1.75, pollock \$2.50.

### Portland.

Sch. Mabel E. Bryson and sloop Minette are at Portland waiting for a favorable opportunity to sail south mackereling.

### Boothbay Harbor.

Schs. Vigilant, Mildred Nunan and Nellie Dixon sailed from Boothbay on Monday.

### Alewives Are Plenty.

Alewives are plenty at present at both Monomoy and Edgartown, selling at 90 cents per hundred at the latter place.

### Herring at Portland.

Herring have struck in down the bay at Portland and good-sized catches are being made in the inner bay in the neighborhood of Great Chebeague Island. The schools are quite large but the fish are being sold only for bait. There is not a great demand in Portland for herring as a food.

### Ice Floes on Grand Bank.

Steamer Austrian, 18 days from Liverpool, arrived at St. John's N. F., last Tuesday and reports met ice floes for a great distance over the Grand Banks, compelling her to go 100 miles south of Cape Race.



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## NURSERY FOR NAVY.

Secretary Moody Directed to  
Furnish Information.

### RELATIVE TO THE FISHERIES.

#### Senator Hoar Secures Passage of Important Resolution.

A despatch from Washington says that Senator Hoar introduced and secured the passage of a resolution in the senate yesterday calling upon the secretary of the navy to furnish the senate with such information as he may have at his command relative to the value of the American fisheries, including the Atlantic and Pacific shore and ocean fisheries and of the alakes and gulf, as a source for the supply of seamen for the navy in time of war.

Relative to this matter, the Boston Transcript last evening had the following despatch: "This opens the way to a most important inquiry. Henry M. Whitney, the leader of the Canadian reciprocity movement, has intimated in public addresses that the Gloucester fisheries were now of little value as a training school for seamen in the navy, while Senator Hoar in a recent interview on the same subject has said in effect that he would as soon trade off Annapolis as the Gloucester fisheries, as an element of national dignity and national defense.

"The Navy Department can readily compile these figures. Each enlisted man in the navy enters his occupation and it will be possible to see the extent to which the Gloucester fishermen do go into the navy. The officials in charge of the enlistments already have very decided notions on that subject; they stated to the Transcript correspondent a few weeks ago that it was an exploded idea, or should be, that the fisheries were of any great service in this respect. This on the present peace basis.

"Whether the Spanish war conditions were different is not so clear, but unless some way is legitimately found, in response to this request, of modifying the obvious teaching of present day figures they will prove a boomerang to the cause in whose interest they are apparently sought. While the scope of the inquiry is larger than Gloucester, this has long been the storm center of the controversy."

#### MORE MACKEREL.

##### Sch. Dauntless Lands Small Fare at Lewes, Delaware.

A special to the TIMES from its New York correspondent this forenoon, states that sch. Dauntless, Capt. Day, of this port, arrived at Lewes, Delaware, this morning and shipped her fare, 24 barrels of fresh mackerel, to George T. Moon of Fulton Market, New York.

#### SECOND BANK TRIP.

##### Sch. Argo Arrived from the Peak with Fine Fare.

The second bank trip of the season was brought into port this morning by sch. Argo, Capt. Patrick Shea. The vessel has a fine fare of 130,000 pounds.

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#### Quick Trip.

Capt. Frank Nunan of the sch. Sadie M. Nunan has made one of the quickest records in the fleet out of T wharf. He got underway from the fish pier at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon and was back again at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon with 5000 pounds of haddock, which he sold at 21-2c a pound, the crew receiving a good sum of money for their 22 1-2 hours' labor.

#### Lunenburg Bankers Sailing.

Thirteen fishing vessels have already cleared for the banks from Lunenburg, N. S., the remaining schooners of the fleet being busily engaged in fitting out. Though the number of bankers will not be quite as large as last year, Lunenburg will still hold her old position. The shipyards are at present taxed to their utmost capacity.

#### Sailed for Mackerel Netting.

Steamer Joppaite, Capt. Chort, sailed from Newburyport this forenoon for New York, from which port she will make trips out into the bay in search of mackerel. The Joppaite's crew will be composed of Newburyport and Gloucester fishermen of experience.

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#### Boston.

Sch. Rise Cabral, 15,000 haddock, 1500 cod.

Sch. Col. J. H. Austin, 30,000 haddock, 17,000 cod.

Sch. Dixie, 6500 cod.

Sch. Boyd and Leeds, 300 haddock, 13,000 cod.

Sch. Oliver F. Kilham, 10,000 haddock.

Sch. Maud B. Murray, 8000 haddock.

Sch. Mary E. Cooney, 10,000 haddock, 500 cod.

Sch. Flavilla, 8000 haddock, 200 cod.

Sch. Diana, 1000 haddock, 500 cod.

Sch. Mertis H. Perry, 6000 haddock, 200 cod.

Sch. Charles W. Parker, 5500 haddock, 500 cod.

Sch. Mattie D. Brundage, 2000 haddock.

Haddock, \$2 to \$2.50; large cod, \$2 to \$1.50; market cod, \$2 to \$3.

#### Boothbay Harbor.

Sch. Caroline Vought is here to fit for packing.

April 15

#### DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

##### To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Lorna Doone, Georges, 20,000 lbs. cod, 2000 lbs. halibut.

Sch. Illinois, Brown's Bank, 60,000 lbs. fresh cod, 15,000 lbs. haddock.

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#### Boston.

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Sch. Stranger, 7000 haddock, 1200 cod.

Sch. Maxwell, 1000 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Minerva, 10,000 haddock, 1500 cod.

Sch. Robert and Carr, 3000 haddock, 500 cod.

Sch. Hattie F. Kuowlton, 2000 haddock, 1000 cod.

Sch. Thistle, 3000 cod.

Sch. Evelyn L. Smith, 12,000 haddock, 500 cod.

Sch. Electric Flash, 10,000 haddock, 500 cod.

Sch. Sylvia M. Nunan, 3000 haddock.

Sch. Mary Emerson, 3000 cod.

Sch. James S. Steele, 2000 haddock, 2000 cod.

Sch. Ella M. Doughty, 2500 haddock, 1000 cod.

Sch. Annie and Jennie, 1000 haddock.

Sch. Theresa and Alice, 10,000 haddock, 2000 cod.

Haddock, \$2; large cod, \$2.50; market cod, \$2.50.

##### Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. S. P. Willard was at Halifax on Monday.

#### Bank Cod Sale.

The fare of sch. Argo was sold to George Perkins & Son at last sales, \$3 5-8 for large and \$3 3-8 for medium.